

## **2010.01 Purchase of Materials in Plastic Containers**

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**SUBJECT:** Purchase of Materials in Plastic Containers.

**APPLICATION:** Executive Branch Departments and Sub-units which purchase materials in plastic containers of 8 ounces or more.

**PURPOSE:** To ensure that plastic containers of 8 ounces or more are labeled correctly, indicating the plastic resin type, so as to encourage recycling of those containers.

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**SUMMARY:** Executive Branch Departments and Sub-units must insure that materials purchased in plastic containers of 8 ounces or more are labeled correctly, and encourage recycling of those containers.

**APPLICABLE FORMS:** None.

### **PROCEDURES:**

#### **Agency:**

- Contacts the DNR, Waste Management Division, Solid Waste Management Unit, for a copy of the approved plastic label codes.

#### **Resource Recovery Section:**

- On request, will make a determination if a container is governed by the Act.

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